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Making the Study of News of Interest From Mrs. Hopper on Way Grammar Interesting

A feature of the output of books during the past year in Prof. V. L. Kellogg is to the United Kingdom for which start for Belgium next week, books during the past year in it is not easy to account, is the increased number of works on grammar. The reason lies partly, perhaps, in the recognition by teachers of a need of Dr. David Starr Jordan will for greater attention to the depart on May 16 for a tour the language.

changed, the study of grammar being wisely left saide until basis for lasting peace. the pupil has mastered the general structure of the language, whether it be Latin, Greek or English. None of us waxes enthusiastic over the subjection of our mother-tongue to the sculpel of the gramma ian, for the obvious reason that it is not in human nature, when we look for rules of guidance and find nothing but exceptions, to be pleased with the result of our search.

Few of us can claim that we have not fallen victims to the fascination of a dictionary when we have had occasion to refer to it, and some of would have to confess that its interest has at times proved more aborbing than the book we were reading, when we turned aside to it. Who of us can say the same of a grammar? It book which will go to press on some other and quicker way to has been truly said that English grammatical propriety is and the Red." The Dry War get camphor.

May 15, called "The Dry War get camphor." A chemist of and the Red." The dry war is and the Red." There was. A chemist of the rively in armament, which the "University of Kansas." particular time, and the everyday speech of an Englishman habit, as distinguished from rule, in a haphazard sort of way. Hence perhaps it is that, though English literature ranks | Ote second to none in its glories, it is generally accepted as a fact that English people are more ungrammatical and slipshod in their speech than other Europeans. The use of inappropriate adjectives culled from a limited vocabulary is common even with people of reputed education, and it would be well if we

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to assist Herbert C. Hoover in the relief work. He will be away all summer, returning to his academic work in the fall.

conservation of the purity and through the leading cities and universities of Texas, on cam-The difficulties in the way of paign of peace, returning in making grammar a study of time to address the Woman's interest have been realized for Congress at Porland, Or., on some time past, and in well- June 3. After that he proequipped modern schools the ceeds as far East as Cleveland, methods which were in vogue giving during the progress of a generation ago have been the journey over seventy lectures on war problems and the able prowess in novel writing

> Mrs. Jennie Cannon is spending a day each week painting at the San Francisco exposition grounds. Dr. W. A. Cannon is here from Tucson for a brief visit.

> Dr. Jordan has just sent to the press his new book on the war. He has treated war from the standpoint of biology, contending that the reverse selection of war, which takes and kills the best, is the biological ruin of a nation. "The last cost of war" is far more ruin-ous to a nation than the price of armament, loss to commerce and industry, destruction of private property and art treasures, and everything else combined. He calls the book "War and Breed. Beacon Press.

He is also writing another the rivalry in armament, which the University of Kans finally bursts in the red war found it, simultaneously with comes to him by practise and when the military caste got too other chemists in Ceylon. Both powerful.

Saturday, May 15

New Management

Rates: \$1.50 to \$2.00 a Day were to recall more frequently Dining Room Open to the Public

to Join Husband

Mrs. James Hopper, wife of the famous writer of Carmel and former football player and coach for the University of California, left last evening for Paris, where she will join her husband. She is accompanied on the trip by "Jimmie" Hopper Jr.

Hopper has been in France ever since the war broke out. Several of his articles on the human side of the great conflict have appeared in American periodicals and have attracted nation-wide comment and admiration. Hopper is best known for his short stories. althoug he has shown consideras well.

. It is understood that Mrs. Hopper expects to be away from Carmel for about six months. Two daughters. Marian and Elizabeth Hopper, will remain in Carmel—Cypress.

A Better Way Found to Obtain Camphor

For a hundred years scientists had been trying to make camphor. In 1903 a German had produced it from oil of turpentine, and artificial camphor was put on the market. But camphor at 40 cents a pound, owners of scattered camphor groves-set out mainly for shade and ornament—in Ceylon, Italy, Jamaica, Florida, Texas and and California, began to wonder if there wasn't

made the startling discovery down your camphor tree at all! remain in the south for the a five year old tree yielded in seven years as much camphor as the whole tree would if chopped down. A crop every year-and you could keep your tree.

Many interesting articles, written by local people, will appear in the special edition of the Pire Cone, shortty to be issued. Extra copies should Mill Valley; the Weitz family, be ordered now.

Peace of Mind

What an unhappy frame ol mind is that of the person who is always worrying about the safety of his jewelry-valuable papers or any other articles of value to him. He hides them in the fireplace, then is fearful lest someone builds a fire during his absence. If he cames them with him he is afraid he will be robbed. How much wiser is would be for him to rent a Safe Deposit Box in the Bank of Monterey and keep everything of value there. Boxes for \$1.00 a year. Larger ones up to

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To Greet His Parents

Robert J. McCabe of Pebble Beach left Friday evening for Los Angeles to greet his father and mother who have just come from Scotland, McCabe's parents intend to make their home in California and will probably locate in Los Angeles.

The Pebble Beach hotel man was accompanied on the trip by his wife. He will return in that you didn't have to cut a few days, but his wife will

New Guests at La Playa.

Cambridge, Mass.; Miss. H. Chapin, Boston; Miss. L. M. Roberts, Colwyn Bay, Wales; Anna L. Stron, Seattle; J. E. Thompson, Washington; Edith Selby, Los Gatos; Clara M. Taft, Oakland; L. D. Waddell, San Francisco; F. Bergdorff, Cleveland, O.

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Soon to be Married.

Announcement has been made that Miss Dorothy Graham and Chester Hare are to be married at San Rafael shortly.

Miss Graham is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maxtone Graham, who have a summer home here.

Mr. Hare is from Monterey, where his parents have lived for many years. He is at present in the employ of the Pacific Gas and Electric Co. in San Francisco.

Splendid Craft Damaged

Mr. Geo. W. Creaser's splendid steam yacht, moored at Point Lobos, is said to have been badly used by last week's wind storm.

An Acknowledgement

The following letter from the office of the President of the University of California is self-explanatory:

Berkeley, April 29, 1915. My dear Mr. Overstreet:

President Wheeler wishes to thank you for your kindness in correcting certain misconstructions placed upon his remarks regarding vocational education. The editorial in your issue of April 28th puts the matter in its true light.

Very sincerely yours,

[Signed] C. W. Torrey

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Minister Who is Strong for the Newspaper.

Newspapers are blamed for many things says the Stockton Record, especially by ministers, but here is a minister who boldly declares in a sermon that "if newspapers had been in existence it is doubtful if Christ would have been crucified."

So it would seem that this minister—who is Dr. A. Eugene Bartlett, of All Souls church, Brooklyn—is disposed to recognize the vast potentiality of the newspaper for good. Dr. Bartlett's remarks were, in part, as follows:

"If the newspapers had been in existence the Sermon on the Mount would have been published in the Jerusalem Gazette, and all the Palestine newspapers would have had glaring headlines announcing his crucifixion. It is doubtful if there had been newspapers in those days, that Christ would have been crucified.

With newspapers, the words and works of the new prophet would have been given to the people, and they would have better understood him. The members of the Sanhedrin that plotted his death would have been afraid of the arraignment of the press and would not have dared to carry out their wicked designs upon an innocent man for fear that the newspapers would give the facts to people and they would lose thereby their popularity with their own constituency.

'Jesus looked not only to the Bible, but to nature and to man; he studied the signs of the times. Living today, he would read the newspapers. He might condemn the Sunday papers because they were taking so much time that men ought to give to wor-Possibly ne would have disliked the Monday editions because they took away other men's Sundays; but I do not feel sure of this. It may be that he would simply have asked for all men one day's rest in seven."

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Eugenic Marriage Law
a Failure.

The current issue of the Wisconsin Medical Journal contains an editorial on the eugenic marriage law, denouncing the Wisconsin statute in its present form as "thoroughly unsatisfactory and unworkable from the standpoint of the practioner of medicine."

The article observes that it is important to have the public understand that the medical profession is not demanding any eugenic marriage law.

After stating these preliminaries, the article continues that if there is to be such a law physicians are asking most emphatically that it shall be put in such a form that the general practioner, who will be called upon to do most of the work, may be able to make the examinations and to sign the certificates without perjuring himself. We quote:

"It is possible to correct the glaring faults of the present law by
minor changes which would not
sacrifice any of the important features.
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measure could then be given a longer
trial and its possibilities for good or
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more definitely than can be done at
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Some of the Things the Farmer Has to Contend With.

We have just been reading the statement that farm lands his friend. have increased in value 20 per cent, taking the United States as a whole, in the past year.

Most of the increase is attributed to the war.

No doubt this estimate is not far from true. It is known that farm lands have increased in price in the Carmel Valley.

money has been made in America during the past two centuries-by the increase in values. Dollar and a half acres have become hundred dollar acres. Ten dollar city lots have become ten thousand dollar lots. Million dollar railroads have become billion dollar roads - and the owners have prospered just by the prosperity of the community.

An owner of farm lands, however, obtains less benefits from the unearned increment, than the owner of city property or corporate industries.

The farmer cannot make his income keep up with the increase in values. When 160 acres of land gets to be worth \$150 an acre-there's \$24,000. But does it earn six, or even ten per cent a year, as a flat building in San Francisco or Los Angeles earns - without any effort on the part of the Whitaker, among them the owner? Not so you could stirring story, "The Planter." notice it

The farmer pays the highest rates of interest, when he bor- known in the literary world rows money, and gets the lowest rate on his investment when he tries to live on his

in values is the very serious son and others are the heavy situation of the tenant farmer, who wishes to purchase land of his own, and of the young man who is just starting in life.

Every increase in the price of acres makes it that much

more difficult for the man without capital to become independent.

The "back-to-the-soil" advocates should tell the whole story.

Emerson and the Bible

Tracing the marked influence of the Bible on all American writers of the first rank, Cleland McAfee says:

There is Emerson, a son of the mapse and once a minister himself. He was therefore, perfectly familiar with the English Bible."

There is very little quotation la his writing, very little visible influence of any one else. He was not a follower of Carlyle, though he was

If there is any precedent for the contruction of his sentences, and even of his essays, it is to be found in the Hebrew prophets. As some one puts it, 'he uttered sayings.'

"In many of his essays there is no particular reason why the paragraphs should run one, two, three, and not three, two, one, or two, one, three, or in any other.

"But Mr. Emerson was just him-That is the way much of the self. It is yet true that his value for the world at large lies in the fact that after all he is incurably religous-

"It is true that he could not see any importance in forms, or in ordinary declarations of faith. would fight no battles for prelacy, nor for the Westminster confession, nor for the Trinity, but as against atheism, pessimism, and materialism, he was an ally of Christianity.

"The influence of the Bible on Emerson is more marked in his spirit than in anything else. Once in a while, as in that familiar address at Concord (1873), you run across Scripture phrases: 'Shall not they who receive the largest streams spread abroad the healing waters? That figure appears in literature only in the Bible, and there are others like it in his writings."-C S. Monitor.

Whitaker's Books Moving Pictures.

There will shortly be placed on exhibition throughout the United States and Canada motion picture versions of the splendid books of Mr. Herman

What lends particular interest to this announcement is the fact that many persons well have for some time been urging Mr. Whitaker to have his works filmed. Edwin Markham, Mrs. Grace Magowon Cook, Charles K. Field, John Fleming Wilson, Another side of the increase Jack London, Harry Leon Wilartillery for Whitaker on the

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June 12 -- County Day

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It was announced that quite likely the railroad company been added, making 2162 the round trip from peninsula fiction, 263; non-fiction, 40; points, with the ticket good juvenile, 49; magazines, 272; for ten days.

Efforts will be made to induce all business concerns in been added: Big Tromaine, the county to close on June 12. Van Vorst: "Storm." Steele; the date chosen for the county "Little Sir Galahad." Gray. the date chosen for the county

celebration. A representative from every commercial organization in the the County Library. county and a member of the Fifty-six water color paints Board of Supervisors will act ings of Carmel wild flowers are on exhibition at the library. They are the work of Miss M. will look after the Carmel end. Louise Hutchinson.

Library News.

Report of the Librarian of

Eight books have been added by gift and 4 by purchase.

There are now 2770 volumes

in the library.

Twelve card-holders have

The circulation in April was:

The following books have

Reference books may be ob-tained free of charge through

PINE NEEDLES

The Jacksons and Mrs. E. Olney have left for their Berkeley home.

After a good long rest at San Jose, Mrs. Helen Schweninger, returned home on Saturday.

Miss Helen Freelan is visiting in San Jose and San Francisco she returns to Carmel.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Collamore, of Detroit, are visiting Miss Eva Belle Adams.

C. R. Murphy and wife have returned from from San Francisco. They are in the Friant cottage.

Mrs. and Miss Rice are visiting at the exposition. They are staying at the Inside Inn.

Mrs. L. C. Horn will leave on May 10 for a visit to San Jose. Mrs. M. J. Thomas and Miss F. F. Thomas are in Carmel for two weeks. They expect a visit from E. N. Martin shiertly.

Geo. Sterling arrived in San

D. W. Willard, who has been at Redlands on business for several weeks, is home again.

In the matter of returning children to school who have had the measels, the Health Officer charges no fee.

on Saturday afternoon at the day. office of Mrs. M. E. Hand.

The Ladies' Guild of All Saints will meet at the home of Mrs. Charles Clark this after-

in Carmel shortly, Mr. Turner They may return this summer. is the son of Ben Turner.

Miss M. A. Reardon, who has been here for the past four months visiting her brother. has returned to San Jose. She made many friends during her stay.

Mins Jesnie B. Swift is viulting relatives in San Jose.

G. Laumeister and wife, of Palo Alto, are here for a visit of two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Saxe, of San Jose, will be down next Sunday, to stay a few days.

Mrs. Grace Wickham and her for three weeks, after which daughter will spend several months in Carmel. They expect to be here on the 18th.

Francis S. Dixon, the artist, is in San Francisco.

Mrs. T. C. Warren has re-turned from her visit to San Francisco.

Mrs. A. W. Lemaire contemplates a trip to the city this

The Arts and Crafts Club held its annual meeting yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Beardsley have returned to Oakland.

Mrs. A. C Edmonds and Miss E. Farrington leave tomorrow for Berkeley, to be away a month. During their absence Francisco from New York last their cottage will be occupied by Prof. and Mrs. Chauncey Wells.

Deputy Sheriff Phillips was in town last Saturday, serving papers on prospective jurymen.

Pon Sing, dispenser of clean clothes and optimism, has gone to the city. He will be back

Rev. J. Brainard, of Santa Clara University, officiated at the Mission church last Sun-

Mrs. Peter Taylor is anticipating a visit from her mother.

After a fortnight here during which time they did much fishing, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gavin Mr. Harry Turner and fam- and Mrs. Margaret Stoddard ily, of Newark, N. J., will be have returned to San Jose.

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